

# **John Parks collection**

## **S1275**

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository</b>	Rare Books and Manuscripts
<b>Title</b>	John Parks collection
<b>Date</b>	1834-1886
<b>Extent</b>	0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder
<b>Language</b>	English
<b>Text [Folder]</b>	S1275

### Preferred Citation

John Parks collection, Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library

## Scope and Contents

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This collection includes two copy books and a ciphering book with the name John Parks, dated 1834. Also included is an 1886 "Indiana State Almanac and Household Guide" published by Wells, Richardson and Company. The owner wrote in pencil the temperature and weather for some of the dates and made entries such as: July 13, "first tomatoes," and October 4, "moving." On the inside front cover is a small map of Indiana with statistics from the 1880 census. The printed pages contain folk remedies and advertisements.

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## Arrangement

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This collection is arranged by subject.

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## Administrative Information

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### Publication Information

Rare Books and Manuscripts

### Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research.

### Conditions Governing Use

Legal title, copyright, and literary rights reside with Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library, Indianapolis, IN. All requests to publish or quote from manuscripts must be submitted to Rare Books and Manuscripts.

### Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation, possibly from Ruth Sutherland.

## **Accruals**

No further additions are expected.

## **Processing Information**

Collection processing completed 2017/04/27 by Nikki Stoddard Schofield. EAD finding aid created 2017/04/27 by Nikki Stoddard Schofield.

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

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### **Genre(s)**

- Personal narratives

### **Geographic Name(s)**

- Indiana

### **Personal Name(s)**

- Parks, John

### **Subject(s)**

- Ciphers (Lettering)
- Weather forecasting